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In re Application of:

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AGGLOMERATED STARCH-BASED PRODUCT FOR FOOD PREPARATIONS

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Washington, D.C. 20231

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a response to an office action in the subject application.

☐ small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.27.

DUE DATE: December 16, 2003

☒ **Petition For Extension Of Time**☐ for a -month extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136, the fee of \$0.00 is enclosed.☒ petition for an extension of time is **NOT** necessary. However, to the extent that such petition is deemed necessary, for a sufficient extension of time to render the present submission timely. Please charge Deposit Account No. 06-1135 for the appropriate petition fee.☐ No additional claim fee is required.☐ Other:

The claim fee has been calculated as shown below:

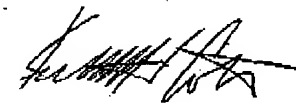
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	SMALL ENTITY RATE	ADDN. CLAIM FEE	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY RATE	ADDN. CLAIM FEE
TOTAL	30	MINUS	20	10	x 9=	\$	x 18=	\$180.00
INDEPENDENT	3	MINUS	3	0	x 40=	\$	x 86=	\$ 0.00
<input type="checkbox"/> FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE CLAIM					+ 135=	\$	+ 290=	\$
					TOTAL	\$	TOTAL	\$180.00

☒ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 06-1135 under Order No. 7393/71576 in the amount of \$180.00. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.☐ A check in the amount of \$0.00 is attached.☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiencies in the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 06-1135. A duplicate copy of this sheet is attached.☒ Any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.☒ Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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